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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**City of Reading says Thank You!**

The City of Reading would like to say thank you to everyone that was involved with the decoration of the tree today.

This Saturday, the City of Reading will be hosting a party to celebrate our tree, our residents, and the holiday season. The celebration will begin at 4:00, when the City opens the tree to the public for all to decorate while listening to live musical performances and sharing hot chocolate and cookies. At 5:30, the celebration will continue as City officials light the newly decorated tree, the Reading High School Band will perform, and the essay and photography contest winners will be announced.

The City of Reading is proud to lead this celebration and to help our extended community celebrate with pride and joy and looks forward to seeing everyone on Saturday at 4 pm.

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